

BENNINGTON EVENING BANNER

TWELFTH YEAR NO. 3482

BENNINGTON, VT., SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1915

PRICE ONE CENT

Just Because God Is Supposed To Temper the Wind To the Shorn Lamb the Shearers at Once Proceed to Blame God If the Lamb Suffers

LOW PRICED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Schooner in excellent condition, also a showboat. Call 302 Green St. 846

LOST—A demountable rim from an automobile. This is the rim of the wheel, of the wheel without the tire. Please return to 114 Spring St. 346

FOR SALE—Monday and Tuesday, China cabinet, additional, chamber suite, chairs, and other house old articles. Mrs. L. B. Parker, across from 7th Ward School on Green St. 346

FOR SALE—Building lots on Washington Ave. One large lot just north of Mrs. McCall's. The finest lot in the village. Several other lots on Park street and other locations. Good home on Putnam St. Also the two house formerly owned by F. B. Egerton on Dewey and Grant streets. Several other houses and farms. Call Mrs. A. C. 146, H. N. Williams, Tel. 133-W. 701

FOR SALE—Generous sized refrigerator in good condition. Price \$30.00. J. H. Livingston, 621 Main St. 346

FOR SALE—Two seated carriage, harness and traces. R. N. Williams, 30 Elm St. Tel. 133-W. 346

FOR SALE—Farm of 100 acres, about 40 acres of timber, balance just cleared. New 8 room house, large barn with basement and also, running water near house and in barnyard, also in pasture. This farm is nicely located on good road two miles from Bennington, keeps 10 cows and team. New place for poultry, small fruit and vegetables. Price \$3,000. Nash & Hutchins. 657

FOR SALE—Wagon of strain of White "22" horse, perfect for setting, 12 for 75c. Mated to unrelated males. P. W. Elnett, Tel. 177-3. 69425

FOR SALE—Green Mountain and World Wonder seed. Potatoes at 75 cents a bushel. Wheeler Bros., Tel. 133. 846

FOR SALE—Or Exchange, Five passenger Overland (1914) car, new and clean, low from factory in August 1914 and has been run less than 1,000 miles and is in good as new. Will sell on cash or exchange for other property. See Nash & Hutchins. 657

FOR SALE—The Worthington home, 1000 sq. ft., built by the late Mr. Worthington, consisting of 2 story house, porch across entire front and part of each side, hot air furnace, Kewanee water system, bath room and acetylene gas plant. Large, roomy barn, suitable for storage, cement walks, nice lawn, gravel driveway, also garden. Lot has frontage of over 100 feet. An ideal place for anyone desiring a home with modern improvements. Will be sold reasonably. Also one seated canopy top (new) in good condition; one top buggy and one of new in first-class condition. Inquire of R. A. Jones, First National Bank, or of Mrs. W. L. Worthington, on premises, North Bennington, Vt. 517

FOR SALE—Several driving horses, a pair and double harnesses, new and used, second hand light harness. Inquire H. M. Tuttle Co., Bennington, Vt. 847

FOR SALE—The large brick dwelling on Pleasant St. in the village of Bennington, formerly occupied by the late Mr. J. H. Tuttle. This house has spacious grounds and contains fourteen large rooms, finished pantry, bath room, large and sunny porch and a full basement. It is equipped with all modern improvements. This place, which is one of the most desirable in Bennington, will be sold at a very reasonable price. Apply to H. B. Webster, R. E. Healy or Edward J. Hall, Bennington. 484

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Fresh and clean. White Wyandottes, 10 for \$1.00, 20 for \$1.75, 30 for \$2.50, 40 for \$3.25, 50 for \$4.00, 60 for \$4.75, 70 for \$5.50, 80 for \$6.25, 90 for \$7.00, 100 for \$7.75. Cash on delivery. North Bennington, Vt. Phone 183. 6825

FOR SALE—Twenty tons of baled hay at \$2.00 a ton. W. R. White, North Bennington. 144

FOR SALE—Desirable Property. The former site of the Bennington Hotel, in the center of Bennington, Vermont; 35 miles from Troy, N. Y. Convenient to the Mt. Anthony Country Club. A two story brick house with 10 rooms and a full basement. Large and sunny porch, electric light, large 6 ament with cement floor. Chimneys for fireplaces. About 6 acres of land. Barn, garage, well, orchard, shade trees and shrubbery. House will back from street. Southern exposure. Fine view. Good air. Rare opportunity for the right parties. Apply to Rev. Thomas E. Carthy, 202 Main St. 7312

TO RENT

TO RENT—House on Green street. Down stairs flat. All modern improvements. A. Bert W. Varney. 826

TO RENT—Part of small store on Main St. centrally located. Inquire 41 Main St. 817

TO RENT—A 5 room house on Park street, newly repaired inside and out. Small family preferred. Apply Miss Blackmer, 30 Union St. 804

FOR SALE—Tomato plants, 50c per dozen or \$2 per hundred. Peppers and a dozen 50c per dozen. Delivered in Bennington. H. M. Dusham. Telephone 24-11. 57-55

TO RENT—Three pleasant rooms for light housekeeping; also sleeping rooms with all modern improvements. Call noon or evenings at Mrs. M. Berlin, over Bennington College station. 747

TO RENT—New 8 room tenement, corner School and County; hard wood floors, hard wood finish upstairs and down, gas, electric lights and bath. Apply phone 113 or 73-12. 98125

TO RENT—Fully equipped machine shop connected with Ideal Tour Garage. Suite of offices over Woodworth store, 456 Main St. Several desirable tenements centrally located. 400 M. H. Davis, 433 Main St. 981

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Either on street or at the opera house at the time of the community festival, a small cloth, Mexican drawn work. Reward if returned to Banner office. 584

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Lawn mowed and trimmed. Fruit and ornamental trees examined and cared for by experienced man under supervision. Leave orders at greenhouse or phone L. C. Holton, the Greenhouse Greenhouses. 526

CLAIRVOYANT—At 202 Pleasant street, afternoon and evening. Would like to know work to do by the hour or week. 584

NOTICE—Truman Mattison has purchased the Judge Woodard farm adjoining the Filmore & State pasture known as the Harmon Hill. Mr. Mattison will reside on this farm and will run Filmore & State's pasture this year. Turn your cattle out with Mr. Mattison on the best pasture in Southern Vermont. 584

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears
the
Signature of *Chas. H. Tuttle*

RUSSIANS TRYING TO STOP TEUTON ADVANCE

By a Flanking Movement From South Poland Base

HAVE MET SOME SUCCESS

If a Wedge Can Be Driven Into German Left It Will Compel Their Retreat.

Petrograd, May 22—After hard fighting the Russians have checked the German advance east of the San river and are slowly forcing the Teutons back.

Heavy fighting at Stryl indicates that the Austrians have made more progress south of Przemyśl and it is announced that the Russian advance in Bukovina has been checked by heavy German reinforcements sent to the aid of the Austrians.

The general situation in Eastern Galicia is now favorable to the Russians as they are back at their base, while the Germans and Austrians have penetrated beyond their lines of communication.

The movements in South Poland are being guarded but it is known that some important offensive is being undertaken there.

London, May 21—In the face of the tremendous Austro-German drive through Galicia one ray of hope is shining for the Allies and the Russians today. While the Teutons have crossed the San and their overwhelming artillery seriously threatened Przemyśl to the south, the Russian movement in the north, around Iwankiska, has a slight promise of flanking the great German left, a movement which may check the center. There is no doubt that the Russians in that quarter have driven the German forces southwest from Opole, back to Iwankiska, and if this operation is successfully driven home it will land the Russians to the rear of the German advance, threatening the communications.

A movement of that sort at this time, when the heaviest of ammunition is constantly necessary for the Germans, will have an important effect. However, developments have not yet reached the stage when it can be said the Teutons have been checked in their general movement.

In the meantime the Germans and Austrians continue to use with crushing effect their enormous artillery, against which the Russians virtually are powerless. There appears to be no limit to their employment. Dispatches from Petrograd report that in order to cross the San the enemy expended between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 shells and in one small area had 4,000 heavy field guns at work. It gave them a twenty-five mile sector of the 100 miles between Przemyśl and Sandomir and it established them safely in their positions.

The Russian official report this afternoon declares that all this advance has been won at an enormous cost in human lives by the Austrians and Germans.

The compactness and consequent immobility of the heavy German formation, while successful in forcing the San between Jaroslau and Lezochow, is said by Russian army officers to have prevented the Germans from executing maneuvers which might threaten the Russian flank. All

though the Germans occupied a portion of the right bank of the river, the main defenses of the San appear to be still secure.

The Austro-German force which crossed the river is attempting a movement southward to encircle Przemyśl, but as yet this maneuver has not been developed sufficiently to threaten the fortress from the east. Bombardment of Przemyśl from the west continues, apparently without inflicting serious damage.

7TH WARD ENTERTAINMENT

Play by School Children Attended by Large Audience.

The first entertainment ever given by the Seventh Ward school of this town was rendered Friday evening at the high school hall and was witnessed by nearly six hundred people. All of the two hundred pupils in this school took part in the program, which, although the first in its history, was a complete success in every way.

The interesting program consisted of a boys' chorus, a swing song, and other songs and dances by the very small children, while the evening's chief feature was the presentation of a play by the children entitled, "When Polly was Queen of the May."

The success of the evening's exercises is due largely to the Misses Cora Whitney, Mary Hyde, Carrie Wood, and Annie Dakin who make up the teacher's corps of the Seventh Ward School. To them belongs the credit for the careful training of the children who presented such an enjoyable entertainment.

The exact amount of money cleared is not yet known but will be announced later. This money will go for the purchase of a victrola, and other things needed by the school.

CHANGE FAVORS U. S.

New British Cabinet Likely to Improve Shipping Situation

Washington, May 19—There is strong probability of more favorable treatment for American shipping interests as a result of the coming reorganization of the British cabinet. It is the expectation of officials here that when the changes contemplated under Premier Asquith's announcement today are put into effect Sir Edward Grey, Minister of Foreign Affairs, will exercise a larger influence in the administration than heretofore. The Foreign Office has been disposed in many instances to treat neutral interests with much more liberality than has been the practice, but was prevented by the predominant influence of the Admiralty and the War Ministry. The lessening of the despotic power of the military branches of the government over all other branches is understood here to be the chief objective of the cabinet changes about to be made.

With this accomplished, good reason is found for expecting that not only will the British authorities be more lenient in treatment of American shipping interests, but that the delays which really have been a greater cause of suffering to Americans than the British policies themselves will be substantially reduced. There were indications today that persons responsible for the persistent reports of the last three days that the United States is to send immediately to Great Britain another note of protest against certain British practices in its treatment of American trade interests have been over looking the fact that decision in the matter rests solely with President Wilson. It is said authoritatively today that no immediate action on this subject should be looked for.

It is well known that for more than two months the State Department has been preparing data on specific cases of British practices with a view to making them at some time the basis of fresh representations to Great Britain. The President has been thoroughly cognizant of what was being done and the nature of the case against Great Britain thus being built up. He did not, however, direct that this matter be put in the form of a note, and it is certain that this would not be done until the President himself gives the word.

BANDITS DRIVEN FROM ATTACK BY BULLETS

Attempt to Rob Paymaster Who Had Bag of Money

ONE MAN GOT BULLET IN KNEE

Most Daring Holdup in Recent Years Took Place at Lyon Mountain Near Plattsburg.

Plattsburg, May 21—Two highwaymen made an unsuccessful attempt this morning to rob Hubert Barbour, manager of the Plattsburgh Traction company, and acting paymaster of the Delaware and Hudson company. Barbour, accompanied by John J. O'Brien, was driving from Lyon Mountain station to the Mines office, when the robbers jumped out in the road and commanded them to throw up their hands.

Barbour applied the whip, but the robbers fired two shots at the horse before the whip descended, and the animal fell dead. The highwaymen began firing at the men but Barbour and O'Brien made a leap for the desperadoes. Barbour was shot in the right knee, and fell. O'Brien seized the money bag containing about \$15,000 and drew his revolver but the men ran, disappearing in the woods. Barbour's wound is not serious. The bullet imbedded itself in the flesh near the knee.

The holdup was one of the most daring ever attempted in northern New York. Barbour and O'Brien are sure they can identify the bandits. Search is now in progress in all directions.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

American League.

Chicago 3, Boston 2 (17 innings). St. Louis 5, New York 4. Philadelphia 11, Detroit 8. Washington-Cleveland, rain.

Won. Lost. P.C.

New York 17 10 .639

Chicago 20 12 .625

Detroit 19 12 .614

Boston 13 11 .542

Washington 12 14 .462

Cleveland 12 16 .429

St. Louis 11 20 .355

Philadelphia 10 19 .345

National League

Chicago 3, Boston 2. Other games, rain.

Won. Lost. P.C.

Philadelphia 17 11 .607

Chicago 18 12 .596

Boston 14 14 .500

Pittsburgh 15 15 .500

Brooklyn 14 15 .483

St. Louis 15 17 .469

Cincinnati 12 16 .429

New York 11 16 .407

Federal League

Chicago 3, Brooklyn 2. Pittsburgh 3, Baltimore 2. Newark 4, St. Louis 3. Kansas City 8, Buffalo 3.

Won. Lost. P.C.

Pittsburgh 29 12 .625

Newark 19 12 .613

Chicago 18 13 .581

Kansas City 16 13 .552

Brooklyn 15 14 .517

St. Louis 12 16 .429

Baltimore 12 19 .387

Buffalo 9 22 .291

KITCHENER TARGET FOR ATTACK BY HIS CRITICS

Alleged to Be Cause of the British Failure in War

IS ALSO WARMLY DEFENDED

British Cabinet Crisis Is Serious and Shows Need of Unity of Action.

Rome, May 22—Italy's declaration of war against Austria, will be sent today, according to the best report available.

Reports from Bucharest state that the Roumanian army is being secretly mobilized and will follow Italy in striking at Austria.

London, Saturday, May 22—A state of war now virtually exists between Italy and her former allies, Austria and Germany, although no formal declaration, has as yet been made, according to advices that had reached here up to late this morning.

The final legislative step before the conflict was taken by the Italian government yesterday, when the Senate endorsed the action of the Chamber in granting the government extraordinary powers in the event of war, for which the whole nation appears to be enthusiastic. The Salandra ministry was expected to meet at once and draft a declaration of war.

Meanwhile, on the Austro-Italian frontier, according to fragmentary dispatches, the situation is tense. Already some bridges at border points have been destroyed by the Austrians, who are said to have cut telegraph wires and destroyed railroad tracks.

Huge forces are massed at strategic points on both sides of the frontier, and the Swiss hear that Germany is sending large bodies of men south to aid her ally. All navigation has been stopped on the Adriatic.

Simultaneously with the expected advent of Italy into the war, Serbia's reconstituted army, having recovered from the campaign which resulted in the Austrians being driven out of Serbia, and been newly armed and equipped, has begun a march toward the Austrian border, bent on another invasion of Austrian territory.

Austria will thus be attacked from all sides, and she has still another enemy, Rumania, in prospect, for it has been an open secret for some time that Italy and Rumania have an agreement to act in concert.

Rumania, however, is awaiting the conclusion of an agreement with Greece and Bulgaria, which are also expected to join the Allies, before she takes up arms.

The demands for compensation, territorial and otherwise, of Rumania, Bulgaria and Greece, are now in process of arrangement, according to persons in London who are well informed. Just at present the excessive claims, first put forward by these states, are being cut down.

Reports are coming from Greece of more cordial relations between the Court and former Premier Venizelos, which can only point in one direction.

"Gallipoli armies" are in process of formation in some of the Balkan states, and the title sufficiently indicates the proposed scene of their activities.

SENIOR PROGRAM

Five Senior Essays Given Friday Afternoon.

The first installment of Senior essays was given at the high school hall Friday afternoon when four essays and one oration were given. Those who took part were: Zada Nichols, "America as Seen in the Eyes of the Immigrant"; Miss Anna Green, "S. Wei Mitchell"; Richard McGuire, "Bravery in Modern War"; Miss Florence Hill, "The Circulating Library"; and Miss Irene White, "Superstitions."

Each number was well rendered and the essays showed thought and careful preparation. Next Friday afternoon the second section of senior essays will be given. The program will begin at 2:15 and the public is especially invited.

Different Circumstances.

Hampton—Last week a doctor told me to go south. Rhodes—Last week a doctor told me to go north, south, east or west—he didn't care which. I was calling on his daughter.—New York Globe.

WEATHER FORECAST

For eastern New York and western Vermont, thunder showers this afternoon or tonight, cooler interior. Sunday probably fair.

WAR IN PROGRESS BETWEEN ITALY AND AUSTRIA

Railroad Bridges and Tracks Blown Up and Wires Cut

ARMIES FACING EACH OTHER

Servia Also Plans New Attack On Austria and Roumania Expected to Follow.

Sydney, May 22—The jury in the case of William Barnes against Theodore Roosevelt for \$50,000 for alleged libel this morning returned an unqualified verdict in favor of Col. Roosevelt after being out 42 hours.

Edward Burns, the Syracuse motor man who stood out for so long at last yielded to the other eleven and joined with them in the verdict for the defendant. When the jury went to their sleeping quarters last night it was thought that Burns was still defiant as he walked alone with his jaw set and acting as though he was not enjoying himself. This incident led the friends of Barnes to hope that he would hold out to the end.

William Walf of the counsel for Barnes at once moved that the verdict be set aside as irregular on the ground that the jury had yesterday announced that it had failed to agree but his motion was overruled by Justice Andrews.

Col. Roosevelt is delighted in securing thousands of congratulations from all over the country.

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Brattleboro, May 21—The last day of the annual sessions of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., was devoted to the Rebekah assembly which opened this morning at 9:30 o'clock with Mrs. Nora Jackson of Barre, president, presiding. Mrs. E. E. Perry extended a welcome and Mrs. Angle Endress, vice-president of the assembly responded.

The morning session was devoted entirely to the reading of reports of the president, secretary and treasurer and to remarks by visiting officials from other States. The report of Miss Emma Gates of Ludlow, secretary of the assembly, showed that there was no change in the number of lodges of Rebekahs in the State during the year, there being 69 with a total membership of 6,662, a decrease of nine for the year.

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These officers were elected and installed: President, Mrs. Angle Endress, Bennington; vice-president, Mrs. Imogene S. Buck, Randolph; warden, Mrs. Emma L. Rand, Saxton's River; secretary, Miss Emma H. Gates, Ludlow; treasurer, Mrs. Eva M. Hazen, Windsor; marshal, Mrs. Clara Peterson, St. Johnsbury; conductor, Mrs. Emma Coburn, West Burke; inside guardian, Mrs. Gertrude Jewell, Proctorsville; outside guardian, Mrs. Ardelle Wallis, Waitsfield; chaplain, Mrs. Mabel H. Caldwell, Enosburg Falls. These district deputy presidents were appointed, no appointment being made for the eighth district: Mrs. Sarah Carpenter of Bennington, Mrs. Winifred Hay of West Rupert, Mrs. Ida Spear of Burlington, Mrs. Lucia Phelps of Milton, Mrs. Jessie B. Jones of Island Pond, Mrs. Jennie Craig of West Burke, Mrs. Martha Ford of Randolph, Mrs. Nellie Shippee of Jacksonville, Mrs. Lillian Allen of Wardsboro, Mrs. Ellen Noyes of Hyde Park, Mrs. Alice Smith of Chester and Mrs. Lilla Patterson of Washington.

GREAT RAILROAD WRECK

One Hundred Believed To Have Been Killed Near Carlisle, England

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Many were burned to death when the wreck caught fire. The disaster is the worst of the kind in years in England.

ROOSEVELT WINS FULL VICTORY IN LIBEL SUIT

Unanimous Verdict Against Barnes Returned This Morning

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